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I believe Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is equal to the best preparation of its kind on the market and for twenty years I have found satisfaction in selling it because it always produces a gratified customer. I have taken the remedy myself and obtained the usual beneficial results after using it.

Very truly yours,
W. E. MATHIS, Druggist,
June 21, 1916. Hunter, Ark.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention this paper. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.

Just Why He Objected.

Jack—"But what does your father see in me to object to?" Edith—"He doesn't see anything in you. That's why he objects."—Boston Transcript.

TAKES OFF DANDRUFF HAIR STOPS FALLING

Girls! Try This! Makes Hair Thick, Glossy, Fluffy, Beautiful—No More Itching Scalp.

Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable luster, softness and luxuriance.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine. Adv.

Shrewd Observer.

Some ladies are willing to join any kind of an improvement society that plays bridge.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong, sick women well, no alcohol. Sold in tablets or liquid.—Adv.

PREFER TALKING TO READING

Writer Asserts That Southerners Excel in One of the Most Charming of Accomplishments.

Fifteen years ago, or thereabouts, I heard a publisher describe the South as "the home of the paper-covered novel and the ten-cent magazine." Since the demise of Poe's Southern Literary Messenger, no magazine of any large significance or popularity has been edited in Dixie. Today, there is no great publishing house in the South.

But the aristocrats of Dixie, the fine, cultured, delightful Southerners one knows—how comes it that they confess to an utter and absolute indifference toward reading? Come here and live and you will soon see. It is because of talk. They are the most charming talkers on earth. Instead of burying their noses in books when the sun goes down, they sit about and chat. Match them at that if you can. A subject will last from dinner to bedtime. They turn it over and over and inside out and illumine it with the quaintest observations, the most comical stories. By comparison, reading becomes odious because at once tollsome and solitary.—Rollin Lynde Hartt in Boston Transcript.

Ancient History.

Hyker—When Washington took command of the continental army he held the key to the situation.
Pyker—Yes, but at that it took him several years to wind up the revolution.

Before starting the youngsters to school give them a piping hot cup of

Instant Postum

School teachers, doctors and food experts agree on two points—that the child needs a hot drink, and that the drink shouldn't be coffee.

Postum fills the need admirably and its very extensive use among thoughtful parents, coupled with the child's fondness for this flavorful, nourishing food-drink, show how completely it meets the requirement.

"There's a Reason"

No change in price, quality, or size of package.

I have been selling Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root ever since it was put on the market and I know it gives general satisfaction to its users. My customers are very much gratified at the benefits derived from its use. According to the reports received I have great confidence in the curative value of Swamp-Root.

Very truly yours,
BOB DASHIELL, Druggist,
June 21, 1916. Heber Springs, Ark.

His Chance.

Sparks—"This is a world of change. Spenger—Yes; and, by the way, have you got any with you?"

HIGH COST OF LIVING

This is a serious matter with housekeepers as food prices are constantly going up. To overcome this, cut out the high priced meat dishes and serve your family more Skinner's Macaroni and Spaghetti, the cheapest, most delicious and most nutritious of all foods. Write the Skinner Mfg. Co., Omaha, Neb., for beautiful cook book, telling how to prepare it in a hundred different ways. It's free to every woman.—Adv.

Some Shot.

He—"If you refuse me I will blow out my brains."
She—"You flatter yourself!"—Puck.

HAVE SOFT, WHITE HANDS

Clear Skin and Good Hair by Using Cuticura—Trial Free.

The Soap to cleanse and soften, the Ointment to soothe and heal. Besides these fragrant, super-creamy emollients prevent little skin troubles becoming serious by keeping the pores free from obstruction. Nothing better at any price for all toilet purposes.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Boy for "Safety First."

The other morning a mother of seven was alarmed at hearing her youngest child screaming.

Rushing up to the bedroom to ascertain the cause, she observed her four-year-old boy prodding at his little sister's arm with an old pocket-knife.

"Whatever are you doing, Willie?" shouted the frantic mother.
"I am waxinating Eva," replied the youngster proudly.

IS CHILD CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Overlooked Convenience.

"Waiter," said a guest at the summer hotel, "call the manager."
The waiter did so and the manager came.

"You advertise this hotel as being equipped with all modern conveniences," said the guest.

"We do," replied the manager, "and I believe you will find that we live up to our promises."

"Very well. Please put a maxim silencer on your orchestra."

Each in His Little Cot.

The scene was the clubroom; the hour advanced. Serious, gloomy, cheerful, elated were the earnest faces of the talkers by turn, as the arguments for and against came thick and fast.

And the subject under debate—"Do Fish Sleep?" That was all; but it was sufficient to keep them at it till a late hour of the night, while patiently waited their respective wives at home.

So fiercely waged the controversy that it burnt itself away. There came a lull; most of the debaters were played right out.

It was then that the "cheerful idiot," who had played the listener's role, chipped in. Rising from his roomy arm-chair, where he had lain unobserved, he stretched, yawned, then spoke:

"Gentlemen, the hour is late; I, for one, must hie me to my cot. Do fish sleep? I do not know. But, if they don't why river-beds?"

SATIN IS USED IN WINTER HATS

More Seasonableness in Head-gear Is Shown This Season Than Last.

EVENING HAT WITH LOW GOWN

New Ones Are Made of Cloth of Silver and Gold Metallic Net and Lace, the Brims Transparent—Russian Headgear Reversed.

The fact that the milliners have taken up satin for several shapes in the new millinery will contribute toward more seasonableness of headgear this winter than last. No one objects to satin, especially if it is in black or in a dark color, as a relief and offset to the black velvet hats that have been worn so unrelentingly that one began to think that the milliners had lost all power of originality in choosing fabrics.

There have been several seasons in which black velvet dominated, but there has never been anything to equal the last six months. At any gathering of women, the black velvet hat was as seemingly necessary to the costume as the steel helmet to the soldier. Shapes differed, ornamentation varied, but the hat was black velvet, and on this fabric were rung the slight changes that the milliners invented.

Women do not tire of black velvet any more than they tire of blue serge suits and frocks. They are the bread and water of fashions. The only time that the velvet hat grows wearisome in the eyes of the average woman is when the first snows fall and the fashionables turn their attention to the pines.

Then the average woman wants to discard velvet and get anything she can as a substitute; and today, satin is wisely offered as a compromise between winter and summer millinery.

There are also satin hats in all the shades that nature gives to a dahlia. For America, as well as France, has decided that these purplish tones are excessively good-looking and is repeating them throughout costumery with excellent effect.

The brilliant purple that was advocated at the beginning of the season has been coldly greeted, but the deep purples that are almost on blue and black are found to agree with every kind of gown and coat worn.

The shapes of the new hats reveal no long-disguised secrets on the part of the millinery. The Russian turban in its original form is abandoned, but there is an undoubted suggestion from the Muscovite turban in the new hat that is a reversal of the old—meaning that the high point of the brim in front is now turned to the back, and instead of the ornament being placed against this part of the brim, it is kept in front.

Russian Style Passe. The national Russian headdress has been worn a bit threadbare in some of the cheaper hats, but its original glory is retained by the brides who are arranging these crowns with the point in front, as a setting for the tulle veil.

There is another influence at work among some of the milliners, which suggests the field hats worn by the European armies in the early part of the nineteenth century. These turbans are of satin, with the brim turned so high that the crown vanishes, and elongated at the sides and flattened at the back. One of the best of these French shapes is made of black satin, the top of the extra high, upturned brim edged with a fringe of silverettes.

The main points to remember in the new hats are the tightness of the headband in all turbans, the even line which is carried out around the head, the elimination of more than one ornament and the tendency to hold to classic ornamentation instead of any other.

The Chinese mandarin turbans which has come into first fashion along with the Chinese fabrics and ornaments imported to this country to fill the place of the European importations, is strangely in keeping with some of the Russian shapes, and even the colors of the Chinese ornament which hangs from the button at the top, closely resemble those used by the Slavs. Well, there were days in the formation of the races on this planet when the Mongolian and the Russian were closely mingled. Genghis Khan left many Mongolian traces in that vast bit of territory known as Russia, and it may be that the hat was one.

The Transparent Brim.

Since the advent of the evening hat as an adjunct to the low gown when one is dining in restaurants, there has come into the fashions an entirely new kind of millinery. These new things are afternoon hats de luxe. All that the milliners wanted a woman to wear in the afternoon, and against which she rebelled for many reasons, she is happy to wear at night. It has given her a good opportunity to exploit the wide brim, which motoring, dancing and skating have put somewhat in the background.

These brims are transparent. Cartoonists used to draw amusing pictures of women using brims of hats as a substitute for veils, and the idea was considered capricious and attractive; and, suddenly, it is taken seriously. Metallic net and bullion lace are used for these wide brims, and the hat is tilted so far forward over the eyebrows that it is an easy matter to look upward through the fabric. The fashion has also led to women doing up their eyes a bit in the Oriental manner, so as to make them more significant and expressive under the half-concealing metal tissue.

The crowns of these large evening hats are made of crystals, of closely crushed roses and of heavy metal embroidery on tulle or satin, but there are no feathers. The much-vaunted ostrich feather, which was taken up by the best of the French designers in September, did not gain a place in the affections of the public, and the musketeer hat that Talbot revived, with its sweeping plumes and its likeness to those worn by the women of the eighteenth century in England, was taken up only by the individual who wanted something different from her neighbor.

It may be safely said that in choosing an evening hat or one for the afternoon, if you have the social opportunity to exploit so ornamental an article, it is wise to just look into the metallic fabrics and go no further. The straight sailor of cloth of silver or gold is not used for the evening, but is kept for the street, strangely enough, and is sometimes worn with severe black velvet gowns in the afternoon.

Makes Alluring Picture.

It is at its very best in the latter setting. The woman who can wear a simply cut, medieval frock of black chiffon velvet, with its slightly open neck, absence of collar and full sleeves caught in with an embroidered band at the wrist, and a straight Rebois sailor of oxidized cloth of silver, is sure of turning herself into an alluring picture.

It is not within the power of every woman to look well in a metallic hat. If she will be fashionable at the cost of her appearance, let her take her courage in both hands and defy opinion; but if she will compromise with fashion and her appearance and will see to it that her pink tulle is laid somewhere in the intricacies of the metallic lace or embroidery that makes up the brim, she can frankly line a wide, transparent brim with a double thickness or plaiting of flesh pink tulle. This will make a hat more striking and effective than if the harshness of its metallic threads is left untouched by a softening veil.

Probably the best of these models is one that has a crown entirely of faint blush roses mounted on gold net which is pulled in and out of the flowers, and a brim that tilts a bit in front, made of fine gold lace mounted on flesh pink tulle. Across the back of the brim there is a wide, eighteenth-century bow of blush pink velvet.

All of these evening hats are worn with low gowns more often than with half-high ones, but so far they have not been adopted at the theater, for few women are willing to go back to the inconvenient days of holding a large hat on their laps, or, falling in the attempt to hold it, spend most of their time frantically grabbing it to keep it from slipping, or picking it up from under the heels of the man who goes out between the acts.

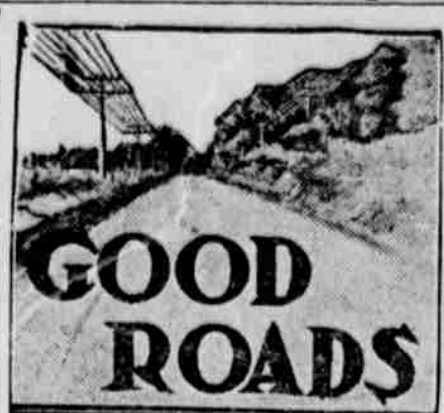
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A Sofa Pillow for Nothing.

Make a bag of serim or unbleached cotton the size you wish the pillow to be and hang it in a convenient closet. Put into the bag from time to time every scrap of waste silk that is too small for other uses. When the bag is full, sew up the open end, cover and you will have a new cushion. Don't forget to start a new bag when you sew up the old one.

Silk Underwear.

One of the new Jersey silks is as light and dainty as a glove silk, but has the elasticity of the Jersey weaves, which makes it admirable for lingerie. There is flesh color, pink or pale white, made up into vests with bodice tops or ribbon straps, suits, bloomers and camisole.



GOOD ROAD WORK IN WINTER

Maintenance of Dirt Roads Is Problem Confronting Farmer—Making Split-Log Drag.

One of the problems confronting the farmer is the question of maintenance of dirt roads. Not only should dirt roads be maintained during the spring and summer months, but the winter months as well; especially is this true where there is not an overabundance of snow, which conditions exist with many of our readers.

The King road drag may be used with much benefit during the winter months, just after thaws or rains. Good work can be done at this time of the year because the soil is crumbly or mealy and pushes easily toward the center of the road.

If the road has been properly cared for during the summer and fall, it will be only a slight task to drag it during the winter when conditions are right. At that season of the year there is little for the work team to do and in early spring the roads will be in shape to turn water and permit of early drying. In fact, the winter-dragged roads will be dry and hard in the spring when neglected roads will be soft, rutty and springy. There is no best time to drag roads. Go after the work and then drag whenever you can during the winter; then your roads will be in good shape next spring. Make a split-log road drag and keep it going on the highway.

D. Ward King, the inventor of the drag, gives the following directions for making a split-log drag: Take the two halves of a split log, ten or twelve inches thick and seven to nine feet long. Set the halves flat sides to the front, fasten 30 inches apart with strong stakes, the ends of which are wedged in two-inch auger holes, bored through the slabs. Put a solid plank platform on the stakes for the driver to stand on. The hitch is made of strong wire or chain, the long end fastened to stake over the top of the front slab, the short end should be put through a hole made in center of the slab and near the end to prevent the back slab tilting forward. Face four or five feet of the ditch end of the front slab with iron. An old wagon tire, worn share of road grader, or any piece of flat steel will answer for this purpose.

As a general rule, always haul the drag at an angle of 45 degrees, moving the dirt to the center of the road.

CHURCH TO HELP GOOD ROADS

Isolation and Solitary Confinement of Women Do Much Toward Filling Insane Asylums.

In a lecture on "The Church and Good Roads" the Rev. James Thomas told the ministers' conference in Denver, Colo., that, "The isolation and solitary confinement of the farm wife and the farm servant girl do much toward making these women form a considerable percentage of the inmates of insane asylums."

The speaker continued, "The good roads problem is one to which the church must very soon give material attention." The church is a force in any undertaking and good roads enthusiasts will welcome its efforts in behalf of rural welfare.—Houston Post.

IMPORTANT DUTY OF PEOPLE

Prompt Repair and Careful Maintenance of Good Roads Is Essential—Farmer Is Interested.

The making of good roads is one of the most important duties of the American people, and their prompt repair and careful maintenance is essential.

There is probably no subject in which the progressive farmer is more deeply interested than that of having roads connecting him with his markets, over which he may be able to haul the greatest possible load.

WELL WORTH THINKING OVER

Two Machines Being Manufactured Where One Would Do if Farmer Gives It Proper Care.

A farm machinery manufacturer made the following statement: "If the farmer cared for his machinery as he should, we would have to manufacture but one machine when we are now putting out two."

Top Dressing for Roads.

A mixture of iron fibers, sand and cement is being used experimentally in France as a top dressing for highways.

Put Roads to Bed.

The farmer who "put his road to bed" for the winter in good shape, will thank himself later.

Distance to Market.

Roads shorten or lengthen the distance to market according to their condition.

If You Bought a Diamond

Several years ago, it is now worth much more than you paid for it. If you do not own one, you should consider the purchase of one at once. They are advancing in price all the time. We are showing exceptional values, and our guarantees protect you.

BOYD PARK

MAKERS OF JEWELRY
106 MAIN STREET SALT LAKE CITY

WANTED MEN AND WOMEN. Now is the time to learn the bartending trade. Barbers in graduation. Special rate now open for 30 days. Only short time required. Tools furnished and commission paid while learning. Call or write Motor Barber School, 13 Commercial St., Salt Lake City, Utah.

OWE WEALTH TO PETROLEUM

Vast Fortunes of Oil Kings All Have Had Their Foundation in That Substance.

Oil is one of the financial backbones of the world. There are more oil kings than any other kings—barring royalty. Yet multimillionaires, whose money came from oil, owe their fortunes to the mother oil, petroleum. By this it is meant that petroleum is the basis of nine-tenths of the oils other than vegetable oils.

Petroleum comes from the earth a liquid substance. It is then run into huge tanks, where it is vaporized, the product of the process being collected. This product is petrol. The substance left in the tanks is vaporized by the same process only under greater heat, and what is collected and condensed is paraffin.

Paraffin and petrol are the two lightest oils, and for this reason they are the first to be obtained. They are also known as the "inflammable oils," and, as such, far the two most important oils in existence. When these have been extracted the heavier oils are driven off. Firstly the thin, then the thick lubricants.

The residue, on cooling off, forms solid paraffin. Another substance obtained from petroleum is naphtha. There are huge petroleum wells in Russia and America. In both places the oils are extracted at the wells and are conveyed through underground pipes to the sea, where they are shipped away. The longest oil pipe is about forty miles in length.

Americans Detest Quiet.

Of all things which Americans detest quiet comes first. Take as a proof this matter of pianos and talking machines, says the Philadelphia Ledger.

Every workday there now comes from American factories an even 1,000 pianos and about 1,500 talking machines. You will notice that the piano has not been entirely silenced by mechanical music. Indeed, the value of pianos made daily in our country is 3½ times as great as the value of phonographs, but the number of pianos now turned out is smaller than it was five years ago, while the number of its great rival has increased by half.

Uncle Sam tells us that two years ago we paid \$15,000,000 for talking machines and \$11,000,000 for the records which they played. No wonder talking machine stock is quoted at about \$1.00 a share and stockholders bank upon dividends of \$120 a share this year.

Responsibility.

That person who feels no responsibility leads an empty, aimless, useless existence. Broadly, of course, there are no persons, not insane or public charges, wholly without responsibility. Even the insane and paupers in public institutions are answerable or accountable in a degree to the authority under which they live, in that they must conform to fixed rules to the limit of their capacity for understanding them. For, answerability of the individual to the whole body being the very foundation of the security of society at large, the primary step in elevating the child, the backward or the crushed adult, even the feeble-minded, is the awakening of self-respect through inculcation of a feeling of responsibility.

Make Paper From Grass.

Paper making is being tried out in South Africa. One of the materials under investigation has been the tannin-rich grass which grows luxuriantly over vast tracks of country in the Transvaal, particularly in the northern parts. This grass has been proved to yield, under the same conditions, more pulp than Algerian esparto grass, but a little less than Spanish esparto. Not only is the yield high, but the pulp is of good quality and can be easily bleached. The most remunerative use for the grass will probably be to convert it in South Africa into "half-stuff," which can be exported to Europe or used for paper-making locally.

Object in Old Saying.

To break a mirror was said to bring seven years of bad luck. This must have been started by someone who hoped that the fear of bad luck would cause everybody about the house to be careful, and thus avoid the waste that would be due to frequent breaking of mirrors.

His Best.

She (on board ship)—"Mr. Jones, if I fell overboard and were drowning, would you jump in and save me?" He (hesitating, but honest)—"By gosh you know, I don't believe I could. But I tell you what I would do, I would watch you drown with the deepest sorrow and regret."—Life.

Leave It to the Enemy.

Except in cases of necessity, which are rare, let your friend learn unpleasant truths from his enemies; they are ready enough to tell them.